

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION AT COLUMBUS**

United States of America

-vs-

Case No. 2:23-cr-242

Joel Mefford

COURTROOM MINUTES

JUDGE:	Elizabeth A. Preston Deavers	DATE AND TIME:	2/1/2024 at 2:30 PM
DEPUTY CLERK:	Sherry Nichols	COUNSEL FOR GOVT:	Pete Glenn-Applegate Liz Geraghty
RECORD:	CourtSmart	COUNSEL FOR DEFT(S).	Isabella Dixon
INTERPRETER:		Pretrial/Probation	Leticia Vazquez-Villa Daniela Escamilla H

Initial Appearance on Indictment

- Dft completed CJA financial affidavit, Dft does not qualify for Court appointed counsel at this time; Counsel appointed for initial appearance only
- Dft advised of rights, charges, and potential penalties
- Government Motions Court to unseal case; Motion granted
- Government motions Court for detention hearing; Motion granted
- Government advised of Due Process Protections Act Order
- Detention hearing set for 2/6/2024 at 2:00 PM
- Dft remanded